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PART VI

PUBLIC ADVERTISEMENTS

FOREST DEPARTMENT

BANGALORE DISTRICT.

ERRATUM.

Dated 30th June 1933.

In the notification, dated the 26th May 1933, published in Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 15th June 1933, on pages 734 and 735, *read* for 12th July 1933 against Magadi *as* 10th July 1933, and 10th July 1933, against Closepet *as* 12th July 1933.

... H. S. NARAYANA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

KOLAR DISTRICT.

SALE OF TIMBER.

Notification dated 21st June 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information that the undermentioned kinds and quantities of timber will be sold by public auction at the following Depot by the District Forest Officer, Kolar or any other officer deputed by him on the date noted therein.

Sl. No.	Name of Depot	Date of sale	Kind of timber	Quantity	Remarks
1	Thippenahalli ...	15th July 1933 ..	Junglewood poles ..	C.ft. 100	More or less

For conditions of the sale, please see this office detailed notification, dated the 27th Aprli 1933.

S. VENKATAVARADIENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

MYSORE DISTRICT.

Notification dated 14th June 1933.

Sealed tenders are invited for carting of timber from the State Forest Coupes of the Heggaddevankote and Hunsur Taluks of the Mysore District, as noted in the annexed schedule, to the Mysore Woodyard and to other depots as noted in the subsequent paras and in the schedule.

2. The tenders should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, so as to reach him on or before Monday the 10th July 1933, (4 P.M.). Any tender received after the abovementioned date will not be taken notice of.

3. Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money of Rs. 50 in currency notes and should be registered, insured and superscribed "Tender for carting timber." Tenders may be submitted for one or more types or for any whole range or ranges.

4. The right of accepting or rejecting any tender is vested in the Chief Conservator of Forests who is not bound to assign any reason for accepting or rejecting the highest or lowest tender. The rate to be offered should be per cubic foot and for each depot. The successful tenderer or tenderers are required to enter into an agreement with the District Forest Officer, within a week of the intimation given to him or them binding to observe the following conditions, in default of which, the contract is liable to be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

5. In fulfilment of the terms of the contract, he or they shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank a sum of rupees one hundred and five per cent of the bill paid in the name of the District Forest Officer. The amount is liable to be forfeited to Government for the breach of any or all the conditions of the agreement and the contract cancelled.

6. The earnest money of the successful tenderer or tenderers will be retained towards a portion of the security for the fulfilment of the terms of the contract after the bond is executed and of others will be returned to the parties concerned.

7. The appended schedule shows the quantities of timber in each coupe.

Conditions.

(*a*) All good and sound timber of A and B Type coupes passed by the respective Range Officers should be carted to the Depots as noted in the annexed schedule :—

Ranges.	*Depots.*
(1) In Kakankote Range ...	Manchegowdanahalli Depot
(2) Begur Range	Hampapur Depot and Mysore Woodyard.
(3) Ainurmarigudi Range ..	
(4) Heggaddevankote Range ...	Antharasanthe, Begur, Saragur, Begur Jungle Depot and Ainurmarigudi Depot at Begur.
(5) Hunsur Range	Hunsur and Periyapatna Depots.

(*b*) The contract is for a period of one year ending with 30th June 1934 from the date of sanction.

(*c*) The minimum quantities to be carted to depots by the contractor will be as follows :—

One-fourth of the contracted quantity by the end of November, one-half of the contracted quantity by the end of January, and the remaining by the end of March. Failure on the part of the contractor to cart the timber as noted above entails the forfeiture of the whole, or such portion of the security, as the District Forest Officer may deem fit. If the carting work of the contractor is slack and that in the opinion of the District Forest Officer the contractor is not likely to discharge his obligations, the District Forest Officer will at once cancel the contract, forfeit the security and make other arragements for the carting of timber.

(*d*) No timber should be removed from the forest without obtaining a passport from the Forest Range Officer or such other forest subordinate duly authorised by him.

(*e*) All timber for which passports have been obtained should be delivered in the depot, at the latest, within one month of the issue of such passes. Any timber not reaching the depot within the above period will be treated as lost, and the value thereof will be recovered at the depot rates from the contractor from the amount of the next bill due to him.

(*f*) In the matter of consigning different kinds of timber from time to time, the contractor shall abide by the instructions of the Range Officer.

(*g*) The contractor during the currency of his contract shall not take up any other similar contract.

(*h*) The Range Officer at the beginning of each period mentioned in clause (*c*) will inform, in writing, the contractor the quantity of timber available for carting.

(*i*) The contractor shall abide by the rules of the Department as regards kindling of the fires and hold himself responsible for any offence committed by him or his agent, employees or cartmen.

(*j*) The security furnished will be returned to the contractor three months after the expiry of the contract period if the whole or any portion of it is not forfeited to Government by the violation of any of the terms of the contract as also satisfying that no timber is outstanding against the contractor.

(*k*) Other conditions, if necessary, will be imposed in the bond to be executed.

Schedule.

Serial No.	Name of Range	Name of Forest	Approximate quantity of timber to be carted	Name of depot to which timber is to be carted	Approximate distance
			Cft.		
1	Ainurmarigudi ...	1 A and B coupes	14,500	Wood yard, Mysore ...	48—50 miles
		2 Do ...	19,750	Begur and M. G. Halli ...	18—23 ,,
		3 Do ...	2,750	Saragur	18 miles
		4 Kalkere ...	5,000 (sawn sizes)	Mysore	45 ,,
2	Begur ...	1 B R W C and old coupes.	20,500	Begur	10 ,,
		2 B S W C coupes ...	6,250	Do	8 ,,
		3 B C F ...	2,375	Do	6 ,,
		4 B G D ...	14,000	Mysore Woodyard ...	42 ,,
		5 B J D ...	13,000	M. G. Halli Depot ...	5 ,,
3	Kakankote ...	1 A and B coupes ...	16,300	Mysore Woodyard ...	55—60 miles
		2 Do ...	16,000	M. G. Halli Depot ...	18 miles
4	Heggaddevankote.	1 Metikuppe Forest ...	4,750	Mysore Woodyard ...	46 ,,
		2 Do ...	13,000	M. G. Halli Depot ...	10 ,,
		3 Do ...	2,500	Hampapur ...	28 ,,
		4 Do ...	2,500	Anthar santhe ...	11 ,,
5	Hunsur ...	Dodharve Forest—			
		Koppa coupes XVI ...	1,700	Periyapatna Depot ...	16 ,,
		Byranhalla XVI ...	1,200	Do ...	20 ,,
		Iydahalla XVI ...	1,000	Do ...	22 ,,
		II Dodharve, Mavkal Forest—			
		Boredevarakatte XVI ...	1,000	Do ...	18 ,,
		Mallanmanthi ,, ...	700	Do ...	15 ,,
		Handigudda ,, ...	2,000	Do ...	15 ,,
		Jainkal ,, ...	1,500	Do ...	16 ,,
		III Mavkal, Anechowkur and Kachuvanhalli Forests—			
		Doddmalale XVI ...	500	Do ...	10 ,,
		Anechowkur ,, ...	700	Do ...	10 ,,
		Bomare C. No. XVI ...	1,600	Hunsur Depot ...	19 ,,
		Udavepura ,, ...	1,100	Do ...	22 ,,
		IV Veeranhosalli Forest—			
		Badrikatte XVI ...	2,000	Do ...	18 ,,
		Malakatte ,, ...	1,000	Do ...	20 ,,
		District Jungles ...	2,000	Periyapatna and Hunsur Depots.	Average 16 miles
6	Mysore Range ...	Mysore Woodyard ...	K. F. Timber...	Mysore South Railway Station platform and then to the crane lotting of selected logs.	Rate for Cft. should be quoted. Rate per log should be quoted.

In Kakankote A Type Forest, the carting will have to be done in two instalments, *i.e.*, (1) from forest to roadside and dumped in the roadside tenke, (2) carting from this tenke to the depots. Hence, carting rates for (1) and (2) must be noted separately.

N.B.— The quantities are only approximate.

(*ii*) Payments will be made once in every month by the Sub-Division Officer, Heggaddevankote.

Abstract Notification, dated 15th June 1933.

The attention of the public is hereby invited to the detailed notification, dated the 15th June 1933, calling for tenders for the collection and carting of rough sandalwood and ground-hidden roots and for preparation of assorted sandalwood at the Sandal Koti, Mysore, and transporting of sandalwood to the Sandalwood Oil Factory, Mysore, during the year 1933-34, published on page 771 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 22nd June 1933.

Abstract Notification, dated 14th June 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notification, dated 14th June 1933, calling for tenders for carting timber from the several coupes of Heggaddevankote and Hunsur Taluks to Government Woodyard, Mysore, published on pages 774 and 775 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 22nd June 1933.

Notification, dated 1st July 1933.

Sealed tenders will be received by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, Mysore, till 4 P.M. of the 26th July 1933, for the supply of the following kinds and quantities of rations to the elephants in charge of the Forest Department camping at Chamrajanagar, Kyathedevara gudi or Budipadaga, as shown hereunder commencing from date of acceptance of tender to end of June 1933.

The approximate quantity of each kind of ration required is noted below :—

Rice	18 pallas
Paddy	200 ,,
Oil	60 seers
Ghee	180 ,,
Salt	2 pallas
Jaggery	360 cakes
Straw	5,000 pullas of 100 bundles

N.B.—Any other articles required should be supplied at local market rates.

2. The supply of rations shall be made once a week at Elephant Camp at Chamrajnagar or Budipadaga.

3. Each tender must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 100 in currency notes, as earnest money, and be superscribed as "Tender for the supply of Rations to Elephants."

4. The final acceptance of the tender will rest with the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore, who does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any tender and to assign any reason whatsoever for rejection of the same.

5. The name of the successful tenderer will be notified on the Notice Board of the District Forest Office, Mysore, and the tenderer should, within a week of the intimation thereof, enter into an agreement for the due fulfilment of the contract, duly furnishing a cash security deposit of Rs. 200 in the Government Savings Bank pledged in favour of the District Forest Officer, Mysore District. In default to execute the Bond and to furnish the security deposit, the tender will be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government.

6. The tenderer should supply the rations in time and at the required places and should also be prepared to remove and replace any provisions which may be rejected by the Range Officer.

7. Once in a month, the tenderer will be paid through the officer in charge of elephants for the value of the rations that may be supplied during the month on a bill to be prepared and sent to this office (District Forest Office, Mysore) through the said officer for sanction along with the receipts previously obtained by him for the supply of rations to the Range Officers.

8. The earnest money of the rejected tenderers will be returned to them immediately if they happen to be present at the time of opening of tenders and to others by post at their cost.

9. In all cases of disputes concerning the contract, the decision of the Chief Conservator of Forests will be final.

10. Quantities are not guaranteed but may be more or less.

FORM OF TENDER.

Sl. No.	Name of provision	Quantity	Rate	Remarks

Notification, dated 30th June 1933.

Sealed tenders are invited for the supply of jungle wood fuel from the forests of the Mysore District for use in the Sandalwood Oil Factory at Mysore, during the year 1933-34.

2. The tender should be addressed to the District Forest Officer, Mysore District, so as to reach him on or before 3 P.M., of the 20th July 1933. Any tender received after the abovementioned date will not be taken notice of.

3. Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money of rupees one hundred in currency notes and should be registered, insured and superscribed as "Tender for fuel supply to the Sandalwood Oil Factory." Tenders may be submitted for one or more coupes.

4. The right of accepting or rejecting any tender is vested in the Chief Conservator of Forests who is not bound to assign any reason for accepting or rejecting the highest or lowest tender.

5. The fuel to be supplied is to be felled in the State Forest coupes as are noted below under coppice with standard system :—

Name of Range	Name of Forest	Name of felling series	No. of Sub-periodic block	Coupe Number	Area in acres	Approximate quantity of fuel available.	Distance
						Tons.	
1. Chamarajnagar.	Chamara nagar ...	Punjanur ...	IV	Current area and advance coupes.	335	600	About 22 miles to Chamarajnagar.
		Budipadaga ...	IV	Do ...	190	400	Do 16 do
2. Hediyal ..	Nanganapur ...	All the felling series.	...	Do ...	...	500	Do 32 miles to Mysore
3. Gundlupet ...	Bandipur ...	Do ...	...	Do ...	...	1,000	Do 45 do
4. Heggaddevankote.	Metikuppe Extension.	Sunkadakatte ...	...	Do ...	...	800	Do 40 do
		Metikuppe ...	...	Do ...	...	700	Do 36 do
5. Hunsur ...	Veeranhosahalli ...	Thattehalla ...	...	Do ...	...	1,000	Do 44 do or about 16 miles to Yedatore Railway Station.

For item No. 1 quote rate F. O. R., Chamarajnagar,
For item No. 5 quote rate for delivery S. O. F., Mysore and for delivery F. O. R., Yedatore Railway Station.
Rates should be quoted per unit of one ton by weight or per stack of 80 c.ft., in volume basis of one ton.

6. The successful tenderer or tenderers are required to enter into an agreement with the District Forest Officer within a week of intimation given to him or them binding to observe the following conditions, in default of which, the contract is liable to be cancelled and the earnest money forfeited to Government. In fulfilment of the terms of the contract, he or they shall deposit in the Government Savings Bank account a sum of Rs. 200 pledged to the District Forest Officer. This amount is liable to be forfeited to Government for the breach of any or all the conditions of agreement and the contract cancelled.

7. The earnest money of the successful tenderer will be retained as a portion of security for the fulfilment of the terms of the contract after the bond is executed and of others returned to the parties concerned.

Conditions.

(*a*) The contractor shall fell fuel within the limits of the coupes of the forests noted above (para 5 *supra*).

(*b*) The following kinds of fuel, green and dry, are generally accepted ; such as—Dindiga, Kagli, and other hard fuel kinds.

(*c*) The contractor shall not enter the forest for felling the fuel without a permit in this behalf granted by a Forest Officer.

(*d*) All felled fuel should be sawn and cut into billets of the following size in the place to be appointed by the District Forest Officer. Length 30 inches and minimum diameter 2½ inches. Billets below the minimum size will not be accepted. The billets should, as far as possible, be straight. Billets of above six inches in diameter must be split up. Stacks on measurement basis will be built at the Factory by the contractor himself at his own cost.

(*e*) Stumps in the coupes should be coppiced.

(*f*) All billetted fuel shall be carted to the Chamarajnagar or Yedatore Railway Station and booked by their contractor under pass-port issued by the Forest Officers and must be loaded in waggons (F. O. R. Chamarajnagar). The billets must be packed up properly with no intervening space for despatch to the Sandal Oil Factory, Mysore. Fuel that has to be supplied from other places, the billets should be carted direct to Sandal Oil Factory, Mysore.

(*g*) In case of disputes regarding greenage of fuel, the decision of the District Forest Officer is final. Deduction varying from 10 to 20 per cent will be done in case of supplies of green fuel.

(*h*) The Sandal Oil Factory will take delivery of fuel (after paying Railway freight with regard to wood from Chamarajnagar) and issue receipts for the quantities of fuel received.

(*i*) Payment will be made by the District Forest Officer and Sub-Division Forest Officers upon the delivery of the fuel to the Sandal Oil Factory, Mysore, at the contracted rates for the net quantities accepted by the Sandal Oil Factory.

(*j*) The contractor shall begin the supply from the date of agreement and complete it by the end of May 1934. The quantity of fuel to be supplied to the factory in each month will be entered in the agreement.

(*k*) The Chief Conservator of Forests shall be the final authority in all matters of dispute regarding this contract.

(*l*) The contractor shall not fell trees of reserved kinds, fruit trees or trees bearing Minor Forest Products. He shall not also cut trees marked as standards and seedlings and sapplings under one foot in girth at the base.

(*m*) That he shall agree to abide by the rules of the department as regards kindling of fires and hold himself responsible for any offence committed by him or his agents, employees, workmen, etc.

(*n*) That the earnest money will be returned in full three months after the expiry of the contract period if the whole or any part thereof is not forfeited to Government by the violation of any of the terms of agreement.

(*o*) All rejected firewood will be given over to the contractor after recovering from him two rupees a ton. Or if so desires, the same will be auctioned departmentally and the sale proceeds given over to the contractor recovering from him two rupees a ton as seigniorage.

Notification, dated 1st July 1933.

It is notified for general information that the right of collecting tolls and daily grazing fees at the toll-gate at Sunkadakatte of the Heggaddevankote Range on the Antharasanthe-Kymara Road, from the date of confirmation to 30th June 1934, will be sold by public auction at the District Forest Office, Mysore, on 11th July 1933 at 2 P.M., by the District Forest Officer or any other officer authorised by the District Forest Officer, Mysore District. The sale will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests in Mysore as the case may be.

2. Defaulters on account of previous contracts will not be permitted to bid. Intending purchasers should pay a sum of Rs. 50 as earnest money, as otherwise they will not be permitted to bid.

3. The contractor who purchases the right must collect tolls at the rates mentioned in Schedule A, both for in-coming and out-going traffic and at no higher rates.

4. The District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests reserves to himself the power of refusing or accepting the highest or any bid that may be offered.

5. The sale amount is payable in twelve equal monthly instalments due on or before the 10th of each month. The contractor shall pay as soon as the sale is over, a deposit equal to two months' instalments less depost paid for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount in deposit will, if the conditions of the contract are complied with, be credited towards the instalments due for the last two months of the contract period.

6. If the deposit is not made immediately after the close of the sale, the contract will be resold at the risk of the approved bidder. If delay is made in the payment of the instalments, interest at nine per cent per annum will be levied till the date of payment, and the unexpired portion of the contract will also be liable to be resold at the discretion of the District Forest Officer or the Chief Conservator of Forests, and the deficit if any, in the resale will be recovered from the contractor, who shall not be entitled to any profits, resulting therefrom.

7. In addition to the sale amount, the contractor is bound to pay local cess at one anna per rupee, education cess at six pies per rupee and railway cess at three pies in the rupee on the contract amount in a lumpsum after the confirmation of the sale.

8. The contractor is also bound to keep an account showing the daily collection and it shall be open to inspection by the Forest and Revenue authorities.

9. He shall also be bound to keep the true accounts of traffic passing through the gates as specified in para 7, for which purpose, he shall bind himself to maintain at his own cost, a resident mutsaddi at the toll-gate.

10. The contractor will have the use of the existing toll-houses and gates and he will be required to keep them in good order. If any toll-gate or house is required, it will be put up at Government expense, if found necessary.

11. The contractor should conform generally to the rules published in the late Chief Commissioner's Notification No. 274, dated 4th November 1876.

12. Carts laden with bones or other substances for use as manure should be treated as carts unladen and tolled on accordingly.

13. Carriages, carts and animals possessed by a person compounding for a sum to be paid under para 64 of the Local Boards Rules of the 9th September 1903, are exempted from the payment of tolls (*vide* Government Order No. 1360-8—L. B. 593-06-2, dated 10th August 1907).

14. Government servants travelling on duty who are certified by their respective immediate superiors as being not entitled to travelling allowances are exempted from the payment of tolls (*vide* Government Notification No. J. 1683—Legis. 10-07-4, dated 30th November 1907).

15. No toll shall be paid for the passage of troops or military stores or equipages or of police officers on duty or of any person or property in their custody or of any property *bona fide* belonging to Government as established, where proof is required by the production of a pass or certificate from an officer of the department to which the property belongs, authorised by the Deputy Commissioner or by Government to grant such certificates or passes, which pass or certificate shall be delivered at the last toll-gate passed before the cart, a carriage or animal conveying such property reaches the destination noted in such pass or certificate (*vide* Government Proceedings No. 8776-815—L. B. 78-08-16, dated 21st May 1912). Under Government Notification No. R. 9243-59—L. R. 579-14-4, dated 24th April 1915, the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore, is exempted from payment of tolls. No toll shall be levied for the passage of carriages, carts, animals, etc., belonging to His Highness the Maharaja or His Highness the Yuvaraja.

16. Only one toll shall be levied at the toll-gate on any cart, etc., passing along the toll-gate within a period of twenty-four hours, *i.e.*, from sunrise to sunrise.

17. No toll shall be levied for the passage of carriages, carts or animals (*a*) belonging to Local Boards, (*b*) conveying District Fund servants on duty or property in the custody of such servants, (*c*) licensed by the District Board during the period for which they have been licensed and (*d*) engaged by the Postal Department to convey mails (*vide* section 65 of Local Boards Regulations).

The contractor is not entitled to collect daily grazing fees on cattle resorting to forests for grazing under cover of licenses issued by License Vendors and on Government cattle and on cattle, etc., dragging carts conveying forest produce under cover of licenses obtained by License Vendors or pass-ports and exemption certificates issued by the Forest Officer.

18. A table of authorised tolls shall be legibly written in English and Kanarese and shall be put up in a conspicuous place near the toll-gate.

19. The contractor shall execute a stamped mutchalika for the due fulfilment of the contract, subject to the conditions specified above.

19. Any breach of the above rules on the part of the contractor or his servants will render the contract liable to cancellation and deficit in the resale will be recovered from him.

SCHEDULE A.

Traffic.	*Sales.* Rs. a. p.
On every motor car	1 0 0
Four-wheeled carriage with passengers	0 12 0
Do without passengers	0 6 0
Two-wheeled carriage with passengers	0 8 0
Do without passengers	0 4 0
Carts, laden	0 4 0
Do unladen	0 2 0
Elephants	1 0 0
Camels, laden	0 4 0
Do unladen	0 2 0
Horses with rider	0 1 0
Do without rider	0 0 9
Ponies with rider	0 1 6
Do without rider	0 0 9
Bullocks laden	0 1 0
Do unladen	0 0 6
Asses, laden	0 0 6
Do unladen	0 0 3
Palanquins with two bearers	0 2 0
Do with more than two bearers	0 4 0
Sheep, goat or pig	0 0 1

Rates for the Collection of daily grazing fees.

Cows and oxen	0 0 6 per head
Buffaloes and Horses	0 1 0 „
Sheep and Goats	0 0 3 „

C. ABDUL JABBAR,
District Forest Officer.

TUMKUR DISTRICT.

Abstract Notification, dated the 19th June 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification regarding tenders for uprooting, rough dressing and carting rough Sandalwood in Tumkur District, published on pages 788 and 789, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th June 1933.

M. V. NARASIMHAYA,
District Forest Officer.

SHIMOGA FOREST DIVISION.

Notification, dated 26th May 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information under section 40 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, that the following timber found unclaimed at the places noted below have been seized and given to the custody of the persons noted against them. Persons having any claim to the said timber are hereby required to persent a statement of their claims to the undersigned within a month from the date of publication of this notice and establish their claims, failing which, the timber will lapse to Government, under section 42 of the said Regulation.

DETAILS OF TIMBER SEIZED.

Name of Villages and Taluk	Place where the timber is lying	Kind	Measurement	In whose custody kept
			C.ft.	
1. Naranapura Village, Harnahalli Hobli.	Government land of Naranapur.	Teak ...	13—9×2—9=7	Mr. Abdul Khader Sab of Naranapura.
2. Hetla Village, Shikarpur Taluk.	Masti Devara Haklu	Do ...	14—9×4—5=18 12—9×4—0=13 14—6×2—3= 4 9 kaves	Mr. Veerabhadrappa, Patel, Hetla.
3. Naranapura, Harnahalli Hobli.	Sawpet of Narnapura.	Do ...	4—9×8—9= 4 9—6×2—7= 4 8—9×2—10=3 2—7×2—5= 1 3—3×2—4= 1 4—0×2—3=1 8—0×2—6= 1 2—6×3″×10″ 2—6×3″× 3″	Range Officer, Ayanur
4. Nala of Hottekere ...	Nala of Hottekere	Do ...	2—5×5—3= 4 2—4×4—10=3 2—9×4—6= 3 2—5×4—11=4 2—8×4—6= 3 2—5×4—10=4 2—6×4—4= 3	Mr. Bhavani Prasad, Patel.

Notification dated 29th June 1933.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting Thangadi (Cassia auriculata) and Kakke (Cassia fistula) barks on all Government Unoccupied Lands and State Forests from 1st July 1933 to 30th June 1935, in the undermentioned taluks will be sold talukwar, hobliwar, firkawar or in smaller units as the case may be, by public auction by the Deputy Commissioner, Shimoga District, or Assistant Commissioner of senior rank deputed for the purpose, at Shimoga, on the 31st July 1933; the District Forest Officer, Shimoga Division, being also present at the sales.

(2) If the majority of the bidders present at the sales desire that any taluk *is to be sold firkawar, it will be done so.

Taluks and Sub-Taluk.		*Date of sale*
1 Shimoga	5 Sorab	31st July 1933
2 Tirthahalli	6 Shikarpur	
3 Kumsi Sub-Taluk	7 Nagar	
4 Sagar		

Remarks.—*Includes produce on all Government unoccupied lands, Amrut Mahal Kavals, Plantations and State Forests and excludes the produce of Inam, Jodi, Kayamgutta, Sarvamanya, Kandyam and other lands which are in the occupancy of private individuals.

N.B.—Removal of Kakke bark in plantations is prohibited.

The Government will not make any extra demand for lands resigned from occupation and the lessee shall not be entitled to any rebate on account of lands taken up for cultivation during the currency of the lease.

2. The auction will commence at 2 P.M., and if it is not concluded on the same day, will be continued from day to day at the same hour until concluded.

3. Defaulters on account of previous leases will not be permitted to bid.

4. No person will be allowed to bid unless he (1) produces a certificate from the Amildar of the Taluk in which he resides in the form prescribed by Government, in regard to his solvency and its extent, or an exchange certificate as provided for in clause 5, and (2) deposits also with the officer holding the sale a sum of Rs. 200 which must, except under unavoidable circumstances be in the form of cash or currency notes.

5. The highest bidder shall deliver his solvency certificate to the officer conducting the sale, and get in exchange if he so desires, a certificate signed by the latter which will be sufficient authority for him to bid at auction sales in any one of the remaining Divisions. This exchange certificate shall be delivered to the officer conducting the sale, in cases the party named therein happens to be the highest bidder obtaining in lieu thereof if he wishes, a fresh exchange certificate for his use. The exchange certificate will contain all the particulars found in the Amildar's certificate with the details of purchases made in the sales of other Divisions as well as in the one in which the exchange certificate is sought for.

6. The exclusive right of collecting and removing the produce above described will be disposed of to the highest bidder, subject to the confirmation of the Chief Conservator of Forests, who, at his discretion, may accept or reject the highest or any other bid, without assigning any reason therefor.

7. The highest bidder shall immediately after the close of the sale, credit into the Government Treasury, one-quarter of the total sale amount including the deposit already made together with local, railway and other cesses, if any *on the full lease amount* at the rates prevailing in the district. In default, the deposit already made will be forfeited and the right resold. Such resale will be at the risk of the defaulting purchaser who will be liable to make good any loss that may result to Government by it, but will have no claim to any surplus accruing therefrom. Such losses shall be recoverable as an arrear of land revenue.

8. If the sale is not confirmed by the authority concerned, all moneys paid will be refunded to the party.

9. Within fifteen days of the intimation of the confirmation of the sale, the successful bidder shall execute separate agreement at one for each unit with one or more sureties to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer of the District concerned on a stamped paper of the value of ten annas procured at his own cost, and also furnish a security deposit of Rs. 500 or one-quarter of the sale amount, whichever is less, for each unit, for the due fulfilment of the conditions of the contract in the shape of Government Savings Bank Deposit. In default, either to execute the agreement with the necessary sureties or to furnish the required security or both, the contract will be cancelled, all the moneys already paid forfeited to Government and the right resold, at the defaulter's risk. He shall have no claim to any surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable for the loss arising therefrom which will be recovered as an arrear of land revenue under section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation. After executing the agreement and furnishing the security, the successful bidder shall before entering on the collection of the bark, obtain from the District Forest Officer a permit in the prescribed form authorising him to commence the bark collection.

Note.—(1) The solvency and the respectability of the sureties should be proved to the satisfaction of the District Forest Officer and the sureties shall be held responsible for all payments to be made under the lease and for the due fulfilment of all the conditions of the contract.

Note.—(*ii*) A sample form of the agreement may be seen at any of the District Forest Offices.

10. The balance of the sale amount shall be paid in three equal instalments at intervals of four months as follows:—

1st instalment	on or before	1st November 1933.	
2nd	do	do	1st March 1934.
3rd	do	do	1st July 1934 or the next working day if 1st July 1934 is a general holiday.

In default to pay the instalments on due dates, the contract shall be cancelled and the right resold, the defaulter being liable for any deficit in the amount due to Government less the amount already paid. He shall have no claim on the surplus accruing from such resale, but shall be liable to the loss arising therefrom which shall be recovered as an arrear of land revenue, under Section 79 of the Mysore Forest Regulation, or any other law for the time being in force. Interest at 9 per cent per annum, will be charged on all arrears of lease amount permitted to be paid after the due date but before the resales.

11. No concession of any kind will be shown to the contractor for loss on any account.

Further conditions to be entered in the agreement are:—

(*a*) The lessee shall hold himself responsible to prevent the cutting of tender stems under one year by himself, his servants or agents.

(*b*) The lessee shall furnish a list of sub-contractors, agents or maistries and servants who may be appointed by him for the collection of the bark.

(*c*) The lessee shall work out the lease himself and not transfer or sub-let it to others without the previous sanction of the Chief Conservator of Forests.

(*d*) The barked wood shall be the property of the lessee.

(*e*) The coolies employed by the lessee must take permits from the Range Officers when they enter State Forests.

(*f*) The lessee shall keep accounts showing the quantity of the bark collected and removed in accordance with the lease and permit the inspection of such accounts by any Forest Officer of and above the rank of a Ranger having jurisdiction within the area referring to the lease, and officers of the Revenue and Police Departments of and above the rank of an Amildar or Police Inspector, respectively.

(*g*) The lessee shall render every month to the District Forest Officer in the prescribed form, an account of the number of cart-loads of tangadi and kakke barks collected and carted during the month.

(*h*) The lessee shall provide printed licenses and passes in triplicate for the collection and for the export of the bark under his signature. In the latter case, each cart-load must be covered by a pass. These licenses and passes which will be in books shall be obtained from the Range Forest Officer and will have a seal of the District Forest Officer, impressed. The duplicate copies will be submitted to the Range Forest Officer, on the day on which the license or pass is issued. When the books are completed, the counterfoils should be returned to the District Forest Officer through the Range Officer and fresh supply obtained.

Note.—(1) Forest forms approved in Government Order No. G 6119-21—Ft. 178-28-2, dated 20th November 1928, shall be used.

(2) The unused licenses and books remaining with the lessee on 31st July 1935 shall be returned to the District Forest Officer and before the lessee claims the refund of the security deposit.

(*i*) The lessee or sub-lessee, his agents or maistries and servants shall be held responsible for any fires caused by negligence either by themselves or by their workmen and shall prevent the occurrence of fires in the forests in which they may be working and render prompt assistance in extinguishing such fires as may break out accidentally.

(*j*) They will also be liable under the Forest Regulation, irrespective of any action that may be taken under the contract. They shall remove out of the limits of the District before the 31st July 1935, all bark collected and stored under the terms of this lease.

(*k*) Neither the lessee or sub-lessee nor his employees shall enter the State Forests either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*l*) No collection of the bark will be permitted in the State Forests, during the fire season, *i.e.*, from the 15th February to end of April of each year.

(*m*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall not interfere with the recognised rights of inamdars.

(*n*) The lessee or sub-lessee shall hold himself responsible for the acts of his agents or servants in the business of collection and transport.

12. In the event of breach of any of these conditions, the lease will be cancelled or the security amount forfeited in whole or in part or both these penalties will be enforced at the discretion of the Chief Conservator of Forests. In the case of mere forfeiture of the security deposit amount, the difference will be made good immediately by the contractor, and in the case of the cancellation of the lease, the right will be resold, the lessee not being entitled to moneys already paid by him or for the subsequent excess realisations by resale, the deficit if any, that may result from such resale being recovered from him as an arrear of land revenue.

MOHAMED PIR,
District Forest Officer.

KADUR FOREST DIVISION.

Abstract Notification, dated the 22nd June 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed notifications calling for tenders for :—

(1) the collection and carting of rough Sandalwood to Chikmagalur and Tarikere Koties ;

(2) the preparation and assortment of Sandalwood into 18 Classes in Chikmagalur Koti ; and

(3) the carting of prepared sandalwood from Chikmagalur Koti to Kadur Railway Station, published on pages 790, 792 to 794, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th June 1933. The tenders will be received in the Office of the District Forest Officer, Kadur Division, Chikmagalur up to 4 P.M., on 15th July 1933.

Abstract Notification, dated the 22nd June 1933.

The attention of the public is invited to the detailed Notification regarding the sale of the right of harvesting the grass or grazing cattle in the several Plantations of this Division, published on page 791, Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th June 1933.

K. REVANNA,
District Forest Officer.

CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

SALE OF STONE.

Notification dated 24th June 1933.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the right of quarrying building stones and slabs in the State Forests, Reserved lands, Plantation and Amrut Mahal Kavals of the Chitaldrug District, from date of confirmation till the end of June 1934, will be sold in auction by the District Forest Officer or the Forest Range Officer, concerned :—

Locality	Produce	Place of sale	Date of sale
1. Challakere Plantation ...	Stone	Challakere Travellers' Bungalow	26th July 1933, 2 P.M.
2. Challakere reserved land ...			
3. Varavu Amrut Mahal Kaval ..			
4. Ulluvarti Kaval			
5. Doddachellur State Forest ...			
6. Obenahalli do ...			
7. Amrut Mahal Kavals round Parasurampura.			
8. Pagadalbandi Amrut Mahal Kaval			
9. Kurupateppe do ...			
10. Kullukaval do ...			
11. Chowloor do ...			
12. Challakere do ...			
13. Nerlagunte Block			
14. Arakere Forest	...	Malebennur	24th July 1933, 2 P.M.
15. Garaga Kaval Forest... ...	...	Holalkere Range Office	29th do 2 P.M.
16. Devaragudda Forest			
17. Anabur Forest	...	Jagalur T. B.	28th do 2 P.M.

Conditions of sale.

1. Each bidder must deposit Rs. 25 as earnest money before he is allowed to bid.
2. At the close of the sale, the sale amount in full with cesses should be paid deducting the earnest money paid by the highest bidder and the earnest money tendered by the unsuccessful bidders will be returned.
3. Within seven days after the receipt of the intimation of the confirmation of sale the highest bidder should deposit 25 per cent of the sale amount as security deposit and execute a bond on Re. 0-10-0 stamp paper. Failure will involve the cancellation of the lease and forfeiture of all moneys paid and resale of the lease held at the risk of the original purchaser.
4. The lease should not be sublet without the written permission of the District Forest Officer, Chitaldrug.
5. The lessee should keep account of stones quarried and render monthly account to the Range Officer, concerned.
6. No damage should be done to the tree growth or grass by cutting or burning it and if done he shall pay a fine of Rs. 10 per tree or per acre damaged.

B. N. IYENGAR,
District Forest Officer.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

BANGALORE DIVISION.

Notification No. 5, dated 1st July 1933.

ERRATA.

Please *substitute* "Cheemachanhalli" *for* "Cheemasandra" in line 2 of the notification, published on page 794 of Part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 29th June 1933.

Notice dated 22nd June 1933.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the date for receipt of tenders for the Restoration of Cheemachanhalli Tank, Reg. No. 49 of Devanhalli Taluk, *vide* detailed notification, dated 23rd May 1933, published on pages 630-631 of part VI of the *Mysore Gazette*, dated 6th June 1933 is extended up to 2 P.M. of 10th July 1933.